









## BRIEF LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

Short News Items of Interest to the Ledger Readers.—Broadway Street Being Put in Good Condition.

January 16th, at Love's hall, "The Deestrick School."

Frozen oysters, 50c per can, at Caminetti's market.

Give us daily some good bread. Pioneer Flour makes the best.

Miss Daisy Bonney left last Thursday for the city, to resume her studies.

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone Main 404. Jackson, Cal.

Theodore Crocker went to San Francisco the latter part of last week, for a few days' visit.

Joseph Valvo, brother of the National hotel barber, came up from San Francisco Monday night.

W. P. Frick of Placerville, was in Jackson Monday, looking after his mining interests in this section.

Amador Ledger and New York Tribune Farmer will be sent for one year for \$2.50 paid in advance.

C. H. Crocker went to San Andreas Monday, to attend to business in the superior court of Calaveras county.

Geo. E. Rice, a mining man from Angels was registered at the Globe hotel Monday and Tuesday of this week.

W. H. Whitmore, a recent arrival here from British Columbia, has accepted a situation in the bar of the Globe hotel.

C. W. Schacht, Dentist, Webb building. Hours—9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m. Saturdays 9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 4 p. m.

C. O. O'Neil, foreman at the Zella sulphurets works, was compelled to lay off for a few days this week on account of an attack of rheumatism.

Have you seen our new line of men's slippers. Styles to suit everyone. Jackson Shoe Store.

Fees were collected in the recorder's office for the month of December to the amount of \$200. In the sheriff's office the receipts from this source amounted to \$3.

J. T. Lewis, representative of the Western Federation of Miners at Hodson, officially visited the towns of Jackson, Sutter Creek, and Amador City this week.

W. D. Dufrane, the collector, was confined to his house the whole of last week from an attack of measles. He was sufficiently recovered to be able to resume his business on Monday.

To-morrow evening, the 9th instant, the local lodges of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will hold a joint installation ceremony. The occasion promises a very enjoyable evening.

J. W. Fisher and wife, of Defender, were guests at the National hotel Wednesday night. They took the stage Thursday morning en route to Marysville, where Mr. Fisher goes on business.

G. W. Wright, accompanied by Mrs. Wright and little son, spent the greater part of the present week in Jackson, from Mokelumne Hill. They returned home Thursday.

Messrs. Bruce and Phillips, contracting miners, are again shaking hands with Jackson friends, after a stay of about two months at Nishew. While there they were engaged in doing some tunnel work for the Valley Companies Power Company.

We have the largest assortment of misses' and children's shoes ever brought to town. Every pair guaranteed. Jackson Shoe Store.

Geo. Gates, who for many years ran the tailings plant at the Kennedy mine, was in Jackson Monday. He is negotiating to take hold of the Calaveras Consolidated quartz mine, at Mokelumne Hill, which he disposed of to a company a few years back.

Miss Frene R. Matson announces to the public of Jackson and vicinity that she has organized a class in piano music, and would be pleased to add to it any pupils desiring lessons. She is a thorough musician, and assures satisfaction. Terms 50 cents per lesson.

A. Ratto is remodeling the house of A. Mass on Broadway, on the lot north of D. B. Spagnoli's residence. A bay-window front has been put in, and the place put in thorough repair otherwise, making it a neat and attractive dwelling. He expects to get through with the work in a few days.

Broadway street from Marre's hotel is being treated to a heavy coating of broken rock from the Anita mine. A number of men, including four prisoners from the county jail, are working on this road. The expense is borne between the residents and the county, the latter furnishing the teams to haul the rock, and the residents paying for the labor of spreading it on the road.

Geo. I. Wright, secretary of the Del Monte Mining Co., returned from his trip to Pennsylvania and Ohio last Sunday, after an absence of two months. The industrial situation in the east is very depressed; especially in the iron and steel industries, of which Pittsburgh is the center. Owing to the depression he was unable to do anything in the way of placing more stock of the Del Monte mine.

Amador Ledger and Tri-Weekly Tribune of New York; both papers will be sent for \$3, paid in advance. The Tri-Weekly Tribune contains in condensed form all the important news of the world, compiled from the daily Tribune. This is the most liberal offer ever made to the people of Amador county to secure the news of the day three a week, in connection with the local county paper. This offer is open only for a limited period. No one can afford to miss this opportunity. The offer is open to old and new subscribers. The only pre-requisite is cash in advance. Present subscribers can take advantage of it by paying up arrears, and in addition \$3 in advance.

Get your reserved seats for "The Deestrick School" at Spagnoli's drug-store. 50c reserved seats. General admission 35c; children 25c.

Olives, salami, swiss, limburger Martin's cream and California cheese at Caminetti's Mkt.

Neil A. Macquarrie, the attorney who was convicted in the superior court of this county of forgery, and who is now serving a term of six years in San Quentin, has been disbarred by the supreme court, on motion of Attorney-General Webb.

C. B. Ardito returned from the city Saturday. He has added a fine billiard table to his saloon.

A laughable comedy, "The Deestrick School," will be presented by The New Idea Club, assisted by some of the finest local talent of Jackson, on Saturday eve, Jan. 16, at Love's hall. Don't forget the date.

Agents for the celebrated Kingsbury hat. Best hand-made hat on earth. Jackson Shoe Store.

The rainfall in Jackson last Monday measured 0.45 of an inch, making a total of 9.60 inches for the season, against 8.32 inches for the corresponding period last year.

The biggest values ever offered to the people of Amador county can be had at the New White House. We are for business. Buy and sell for cash.

In mentioning the dance of Ursula Parlor last week, the Ledger unintentionally overlooked one of the most interesting features, the elegant supper served by mine host Nuner of the Globe hotel. The tables were beautifully arranged, and taxed to their utmost with all the good things that are pleasing to the appetite, and the members of the parlor are loud in their praises of Mr. Nuner as a caterer.

Matt Thomas and bride returned from their wedding tour to San Francisco and other points last Tuesday evening, and are now domiciled at the home of the groom's parents in Hunt's gulch. They were accorded a grand reception on their home-coming. All the neighbors within a wide area gathered at the residence, and gave them a glad some greeting. A feast was spread for the guests, who remained until a late hour, after spending an evening in social mirth which will long be remembered by those participating therein.

On Wednesday of this week the little baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Shear in some way got hold of a bottle of cough medicine, which had been left around the house, and as the taste was pleasant drank enough of it to contract opium poisoning. Dr. Phillips was hurriedly called, and found the little girl in a very serious condition. The stomach pump was successfully applied, however, and normal conditions were soon restored. All cough medicines contain a certain amount of opium, and this should be a warning to adult members of households not to leave it in places where children are liable to get poisoned.

Death of E. R. Yates.

In the death of Edward Randolph Yates, which took place last Tuesday, a unique character in Amador's history has been removed from the theatre of life. The funeral was held from his late residence near Oleta, where he had resided for over 53 years, yesterday afternoon. Many of the old friends of the deceased met at the residence and followed the remains to the M. E. church in Oleta, where services were conducted by the Rev. Chas. Switbank, pastor of the M. E. church at Valley Spring, Calaveras county, who delivered an appropriate discourse. The attendance was such that the church was taxed to its utmost capacity. A choir, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Darling, Miss Annie Scader and Irwin Ostron rendered suitable selections. The pall-bearers were J. W. Croff, Henry Schroder, Solomon Bloom, E. M. Liddicoat, B. Bacon and A. Pigeon. The full funeral cortege then wended its way to the local cemetery, where all that remained mortal was laid to rest, and the last sad rites reverently performed.

Deceased was born in Mecklenburg, Mecklenburg Co., Virginia, September 25, 1815. He learned the millwright trade, and followed the same until his health became such he was compelled to seek a different climate. He came across the plains, and arrived in Sacramento August 24, 1849, and followed mining along the American river for a short time; then went to San Francisco and worked at his trade, until failing health compelled him to return to Placerville, where he placed his home, and came to what was then called Fiddletown, now Oleta, in 1850, and prepared a home for himself and Miss Abigail Scott, who became his bride March 31, 1851. They were married in Amador City, and lived together in Oleta until Mrs. Yates' demise, which occurred September 5, 1899.

Mr. Yates was associate justice and criminal judge many years ago, and was justice of the peace of township 3 off and on for about 30 years. In many respects squire Yates was a most remarkable character, and generous to a fault. Seven grown children survive—two sons and five daughters.

Probably Mayhem.

On Friday evening of last week, New Year's night, a difficulty occurred at the Fassero boarding house, Jackson Gate, which will probably result in the placing of a charge of mayhem against one of the principals. It seems that Paul and Antonio Avansini, stopping at the boarding house, were treating their fellow boarders to a vocal duet, which was not so well received. In fact, the lady of the boarding house and several of the guests endeavored to cast a damper on the musical ability of the singers by a little harmless ridicule. This was effective, and all thought the incident closed, as nothing more was thought of the matter. It seems the supposed insult rankled in the hearts of the Avansinis, for on the following evening they attacked Mrs. Fassero. This brought the other members of the household to the rescue, and in the general mix-up which followed, Antonio Avansini succeeded in fastening his teeth just over the eye of one of his assailants, and by the hold arrested the man in the street, where the piece of flesh, including a portion of the eyebrow, was torn loose, and it is said he managed to swallow the dislodged flesh. He and his wife, Paul, were promptly arrested Sunday evening and placed in the county jail, where they are being held to await the return of the district attorney, who is now in the city, and sufficient recovery of the victim, whose strength has not yet been learned, to enable him to make the complaint.

## Assault With Deadly Weapon.

Antonio Badaraca is wanted by the officers on a charge of assault to commit murder. Perhaps more so than any other individual in Amador county, he has given the peace officers employment in hunting him up at various times for a number of years. He lives with his father on the Badaraca ranch a couple of miles south of town. The quietude of that retreat was broken last Sunday by Antonio, while under the influence of wine, taking the warpath. It is said he shot at his father, and also took a shot at Joe. Garabaldi, who works on the ranch. The shots fortunately went wide of the mark. Constable Laverone went to the Badaraca place the same evening, but Antonio was not at home; furthermore he was told there had been no disturbance there. Monday, however, Garabaldi came to town, and swore to a warrant of arrest, and the same evening Sheriff Norman and deputy Jackson went out to arrest the accused, but found him missing. He is evidently in hiding until the excitement has subsided. The trouble heretofore has been that the charges have not been prosecuted owing to the relenting of the complaining witness, from a desire to screen the accused.

Later.—On Thursday morning, he having learned that Badaraca had returned, Sheriff Norman, Deputy Jackson, and Constable Laverone started out early after their man, and by nine o'clock had him safely landed in the county jail. He was found alone and in bed in a cabin near the scene of the trouble, and was exceedingly tame when the officers made the arrest.

Suit over the Sweepstake Mine.

The deal over the much-advertised Sweepstake gravel claim in Trinity county has finally culminated in a lawsuit against the vendors of the property.—Judge John F. Davis, of this county, who is now code commissioner of the state, E. A. Davis, his brother, and Frank Hall of San Francisco. The allegations of the complaint filed in the superior court of San Francisco against the defendants are of a highly sensational character. Defendants, it is claimed, being owners of practically all the stock of the Sweepstake Gold Mining and Ditch Company, entered into an agreement in March 1901 with the plaintiff, Robert J. Anderson, bonding said property for the sum of \$6,000,000, to be paid in instalments of \$125,000.

Two instalments were paid, making \$250,000, and something like \$700,000 were spent in putting the property in shape for working on a large scale. Prior to the consummation of the agreement, the purchaser visited the property, and made a test of its gold bearing qualities, which proved so satisfactory that the negotiations were pushed to completion. In July 1902, however, the complaint recites, it was discovered that the mine was salted, which in mining parlance means that the gold obtained from the testing operations was not native-born, but had been injected into the mine with fraudulent intent. Judgment is asked for the rescinding of the agreement and the recovery of \$850,000—the amount paid on the purchase price and outlay in opening up the mine, with interest. This is the substance of this highly-flavored suit. The Ledger refrains from comment, as the true facts will no doubt be brought to light when the case comes up for trial.

Died in San Jose.

On New Year's day Amelia, wife of Angelo Nomillini, died in San Jose, at the age of twenty years. Death was the result of childbirth. Deceased was a daughter of Stephen Mori, of the Belmont ranch near Jackson, and was a native of Amador county. About 11 months ago she was united in marriage to A. Nomillini, and removed to San Jose, where her husband was employed. She was a young lady of estimable character, greatly admired by all who knew her. Her demise at the threshold of womanhood is deeply deplored, not only by her relatives, but also by a large circle of friends. The remains were brought to Jackson Sunday, and the funeral took place from the Catholic church on Monday. Notwithstanding the inclement weather a large number of mourners attended to pay the final tribute of respect to the memory of the departed. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

House Warming.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McMillan entertained a number of invited friends at their residence on Main street last Saturday evening. Between 30 and 40 were present, and a pleasurable evening was passed in social chat, the playing of various games, and partaking of the good things which Mrs. McMillan had provided for the occasion. There was every dainty calculated to tempt the appetite, and to which the visitors did ample justice. The party broke up about midnight, all highly pleased with the evening's entertainment. The party was given as a house-warming affair in celebration of the recent wedding of the host and hostess, and their settlement in their new home. On the following evening a large number of young folks were entertained in a similar manner, and all had a royal time.

W. O. W. Election.

Jackson Camp No. 688, W. O. W., elected officers for the ensuing term on Dec. 28th as follows: Past Council Commander, W. B. Horst; Council Commander, Geo. McMillan; Adviser, Lieut. H. C. Shear; Banker, Chas. G. Hoiser; Managers, John R. Huberty, O. G. Keffler and Geo. M. Huberty; Clerk, Dr. J. F. Wilson; Sentinel, George Tucker; Watchman, R. W. Scott; Escort, Jas. Jay Wright. The installation will take place next Monday.

A Vest-Pocket Doctor.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take, pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. A vial of these little pills in the vest-pocket is a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of the ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Sold by Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

## MINING NEWS HERE AND ELSEWHERE

Amador's Thriving Industry.—Its Mines Have Long Since Passed the Prospective Stage—News in General.

DEL MONTE.—A meeting of the directors of the Del Monte Mining and Milling Company was held last Monday, when an assessment of ten cents per share was levied, which will realize about \$5000. This amount it is believed, will be sufficient to pay off the indebtedness, and also enable the tunnel to be pushed forward to the point where it is expected to intersect the ledge—a distance of about 150 feet. This work is absolutely necessary to determine the value of the property, and although the assessment reaches the maximum limit of ten per cent of the par value of the stock, it was deemed best under the circumstances to levy the full amount at once rather than divide it into two assessments.

THE WIDE AWAKE.—This property is owned by the Consolidated Wide Awake M. & C. Co., and is located in Railroad Flat mining district, just across the line of Amador in Calaveras county. Up to the present time the efforts of the company have been expended in the thorough development of the mine, and as a result it is now in a condition to furnish ore sufficient to supply a ten-stamp mill. Just recently a mill of that capacity has been completed, and Manager Wright expects to put it in operation to-day. The property is worked by a 130-foot shaft, and 200 feet of drifting has been done at the 60-foot level, where on each side is a good chute of ore. The ore is free milling, but it has been decided to also make and save concentrates.

HOOLIGAN.—All of Amador's mineral resources are by no means confined to the mother lode. An instance in point is the Hooligan, owned and now being operated by a company of that name. This property is located in Pioneer mining district, near the Defender, one of the best paying mines in the district. The owners of the Hooligan have just completed a 140-foot tunnel which cuts the ledge at considerable depth, and although as yet its extent has not been determined, a recent assay by Weisenbein Bros., San Francisco, furnishes abundant assurance of its value. The return as shown to a representative of this paper, by Tom Smith, one of the owners, gives a value of 8.19 ounces gold and 8.62 ounces silver to the ton. They are quite jubilant over the prospect, and are pushing work as rapidly as possible to the end of adding the Hooligan to Amador's list of pay mining propositions at a very early date.

KENNEDY.—To a person accustomed to seeing large mining operations a trip to the Kennedy is a treat indeed, where everything is bustle and industry. At both the south and east shafts the top operations are indicative of much work in the drifts and stopes below. Besides the constant developments being done in the mine, the company is making added improvements to the plant above ground. At present the foundations are complete for the addition of three new boilers to the boiler plant, and the boilers are just being placed, which will increase the number to nine. When this work has been finished, the lifting capacity of the hoist can be developed to 1000 horse power, although at the present depth being worked only about 650 horse power is used. The hoist just completed by the Allis-Chalmers company, is capable of drawing rock from a depth of 4000 feet, and now hoists skip loads of 66 cubic feet, or 6600 pounds of rock at the rate of 2200 feet per minute, but when taxed to its full strength is capable of raising 17800 pounds at the same rate per minute. In the mill at the east shaft ten more stamps were started up on Monday, and Supt. Smith expects to have the remaining ten of the sixty pounding ore within the next week. The establishment of a plant of hoisting machinery of so great capacity makes a new era in mining in this county, and the results obtained will be watched with interest by mining men generally.

MISCELLANEOUS.

We understand there are about 30 men employed at the New York mine, Railroad Flat district, developing the property.

News reached this office during the week that the 10-stamp mill on the Whitmore property, Volcano district, had been completed, and is now pounding away on ore.

Work on the Argonaut, next to the Kennedy, is progressing nicely, and as the mine is being gotten in shape for operations, the force is being gradually increased. A station is now being cut at the 1800-foot level, and as soon as finished drifting to the ledge will be started, and pushed as rapidly as possible. In addition to this the work of unwinding the lower levels will continue, and when accomplished, sinking will be resumed.

Charles D. Lane, general manager of the Wild Goose mine, Nome, Alaska, from whence he has just recently returned, passed through town Monday en route to Plymouth, where he has mining interests. It is hoped that his visit at this time may have for its object the resumption of operations on the property of the Plymouth Consolidated.

At the present time good news relative to the outlook in Pioneer district is quite frequent. Among its other good prospects is the development being done on their property, near the Defender, by J. W. Fisher and W. E. Moore. They have sunk a 30-foot shaft, and are now drifting south, about 4 feet from the foot wall. At 15 feet from the shaft a dyke has been encountered where the ore body seems to have been pinched up, but the grade is fairly good, as tests have shown a value of about \$40 to the ton in gold. They have, however, had an assay as high as \$113.10 to the ton. The owners are confident the present development will warrant the erection of a plant to treat the ore, and just as soon as experimental work has determined the most practicable method, arrangements will be made to that end.

## Installation and Banquet.

On Wednesday evening, the 6th inst., Masonic hall, Jackson, was the scene of a delightfully pleasant occasion. It was the time set by Oro Fino lodge No. 161, the ladies auxiliary to the local lodge of the Ancient Order of Foresters, for the installation of its new officers who are to serve during the coming year. The installation ceremony was conducted by Mrs. DeWitt, S. G. D. D., assisted by Supreme Grand Herald Mrs. Daugherty, and the obligation of office was impressively placed as follows: G. C., Tina Schroeder; Sub. C. C., May Goldworthy; Secy., Carrie Calvin; Treas., Helen Simcich; R. G., Carrie Louisa; L. G., Della Ruzne; I. G., Rose Beauchemin; O. G., Mary Turner; Organist, Alma Mounier; Physician, Dr. Gall; Trustee, Annie Lemin. Prior to the installation two new members were ushered into the circle, during which a most pleasing feature was the floor work under the direction of Miss Lemin. After all the official business had been disposed of, the circle turned its attention to matters of a more social nature, and at the conclusion of remarks for the good of the order by various members, a splendid program consisting of recitations, music and tableaux, was rendered as follows: Duet, Mrs. Goldworthy and Miss Mounier; solo, Miss Lemin; reading, Mrs. Daugherty; chorus, Mesdames DeWitt, Goldworthy and Wilson, and Misses Lemin and Mounier; tableaux, Mignon, Miss Ratto; music, Mrs. Forshey, and Misses Lemin and Schroeder; mandolin player, Miss Schroeder; dress parade, Ratto, Lemin, Schroeder, Forshey and Wilson; Melvina, Miss Lemin.

Following this delightful program came the announcement of a sumptuous banquet, to which all repaired. Since this feature, as well as all the others for the evening's pleasures, was prepared by the ladies, who always do well what they undertake, it is beyond the ken of the country quill pusher to do justice to a description of all the good things with which the tables were laden. Suffice it to say, though, that with the giving of toasts and their responses, along with a feast fit for the gods, those present found it painful to break the spell till time, who will not wait even for the glad of heart, announced the far advance of another day. The members of the circle are quite elated over the success of the affair, and they are entitled to all the pride they may feel, without fear of being termed egotists.

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

U. S. to Jas. A. Woods—NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of 30-7-9; SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of 30-7-9.

E. J. Egan to Joseph Schilling and N. B. Schilling—70 acres, 31-8-11, \$450. Hagberg to David B. Porteous—Sunflower quartz mine, Volcano district, \$20.

Barloomeo Bianchetti to Angelo Cassinelli—Quartz claim on 6-6-12, \$10. David B. Porteous to G. S. Andrews—Sunflower mine, Volcano district, \$20. Mrs. Maggie Fagan to John Levaggi—160 acres, 33 & 34-7-11, \$10.

Marre to Antonio Buvnich—Reconveyance lot Sutter Creek. C. R. Richards to Wm. H. Gregg—Last Chance quartz claim, Plymouth district, \$50.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGES. W. Hynds to J. J. Davis and wife. Scott to A. Woods. Bank of Amador County to Bodinair.

MORTGAGES. H. F. Vogt to W. C. Delfs, chattel mortgage of mining machinery on Vogt claim, \$160, 3 per cent. F. Mace to Emma Taylor, 360 acres, 20-6-10, \$2500, 4 years, \$4 per cent.

CERTIFICATES OF REDEMPTION. Father Dermody, Catholic church, Volcano, also lot 4 block 4, \$8.82 for taxes of 1877; also Catholic churches in Plymouth and Drytown.

M. H. Goodman, 160 acres 10-7-13, \$17.08, taxes of 1890. J. J. Stewart, land in 11-5-11, \$9.35, taxes of 1902.

PROOFS OF LABOR. A. E. Smith, Carbonade placer and clay m., Irish Hill district. Frederick Hammer, placer claim, Forest Home district.

R. H. Bagley, Newman & Bagley placer and clay, lone district. J. H. Coley, Coley quartz, Mt. Echo district.

Fortunata Fuletta, Acme No. 2, Jackson. Geo. W. Brown, on John Morley quartz, Jackson district.

H. L. Branthover, Belvoir and Black Metal quartz claims, Jackson district. John Ross Jr., Alpha mine, Sutter Creek.

O. M. Henry, Murphy's Diggings, Volcano district. A. Lepple, Deceiver, Sulphide and Cleveland quartz claims, Jackson.

MINING LOCATIONS. Nettie Courtwright, Courtwright Manganeese mine, Jackson district. T. G. Barrett, Seven Timer river, 1500x600 feet, on Mokelumne quartz, 1500x600 feet, on Mokelumne quartz, 1500x600 feet, Plymouth district.

J. H. Thompson, Union quartz, 1500x600 feet, Volcano district. H. T. Tucker et al, W. Y. O. D. quartz, relocation, 1500x600 feet, Volcano district.

T. H. Bardsley, Tiarokoff quartz, 1500x600 feet, Volcano district. N. Randall Ellis, Rising Star quartz, full claim, Volcano district.

Hooligan Mining Co., Little Texas quartz, full claim, Volcano district. Hooligan Gold Mining Co., Point mine quartz, full claim, Volcano.

T. Marchand, Peggy Reilly, relocation, formerly known as Jeffers, full quartz, Volcano. S. D. Garabedian, Star quartz, relocation of Carlsbad claim, Volcano.

F. B. Joyce, Tom & Dick, Defender, Honeymoon valley, and North Defender mines, Volcano. A. L. McKee, Manzanita quartz, Aqueduct.

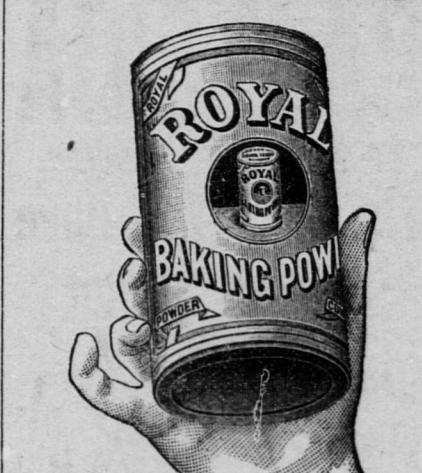
Uncalled-for Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson, Cal., postoffice, for the week ending Jan. 8, 1904: Celeste Cavalier (pg) P. E. Valentine (pg) G. C. FOLGER, Postmaster.

PIONEER FLOUR always has been and still is the best. N. P. Williams, who has been working in Camp Seco for some time, returned home early this week.

The Ledger prints letter heads, bill heads, note heads, cards, posters, etc.

## THE OLD RELIABLE



Absolutely Pure  
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Mineral is by no means the only resource of Amador county. One instance which justifies this statement is a turnip measuring 38 inches in circumference and weighing 17½ pounds, brought to town on Monday of this week by Sam Lessley, constable at Volcano. The specimen was grown in that vicinity, and is now on exhibition in the office of the Globe hotel.

The clatter in Jackson on the advent of the new year beat all past records. A fusillade from shotguns and pistols was kept up for hours the entire length of Main street, reinforced by the ringing of all the bells in town. Yesterday being Christmas day according to the Greek church, the Slavic population bombarded the atmosphere and ear-drums at the same time with an all-day salute with giant powder. Jackson is decidedly in it in the celebration line.

School Note Books, each.....	4c
Tablets for ink, each.....	5c
Mucilage, bottle.....	4c
Express Pencils, 3 for.....	5c
Envelopes, 25 in package.....	5c

## A GATHERING OF BIG VALUES From the Different Departments

### Men's Suits at \$6.00

Probably twenty Suits all told, reduced to this absurd price so that they may be sold this week. Good business garments; dark mixtures; good styles; single breasted sack coat; late cut trousers. Many of these Suits cannot be matched in any other store under \$10 to \$12.

### Women's Shoes for \$1.50

A slightly long wearing shoe for a small price; made of dongola kid, with flexible soles and patent leather tips; the styles are as those that come in all the higher priced shoes.

### Huck Towels, doz. \$1

You are saving 50c on every dozen. Fine huck towels with fast colored borders; good size; same as we usually sell at 12½c each.

## MINERS' HEADQUARTERS AT Tam & Marenzi's

MAIN STREET, JACKSON.

EVERYTHING

In the line of Wearing Apparel used by a Miner can be found at our Store.

We make a specialty of Gents' Furnishings as well, and our prices are as low as the lowest. No trouble to show goods. ja8

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AMADOR BAKERY

A. DAL PORTA & CO., Prop'rs.

WHEN YOU WANT FRESH \* BREAD.

We also keep a large stock of

Staple and Fancy

\* GROCERIES. \*

Our Prices will suit you.

Our Specialty—Fresh Bread each day except Sunday.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson, Cal., postoffice, for the week ending Jan. 8,



## TOURIST RATES

## SOUTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

The Great  
Tourist Route  
From the East

Chicago	\$33
Bloomington	32
Peoria	31
St. Louis	30
New Orleans	25
Council Bluffs	25
Omaha	25
Sioux City	25
Kansas City	25
Houston	25

E. O. McCormick T. H. Goodman  
Pass. Traffic Mgr. Gen. Pass. agt.  
San Francisco, Cal.

## F. B. LEMOIN

## THE DRYTOWN

## Blacksmith,

Wishes to inform the public that he is now back to his old stand in Drytown, and is fully equipped to do all kinds of

Horseshoeing, Blacksmithing, And General Repairing.

Carts, Buggies and Grave Railings, made to order.

Also agent for all kinds of Carts, Buggies, and Harness.

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